

REMARKS

In the above-referenced Office Action, the Examiner divided the claims into the following groups:

- I. Claims 4-13 and 42-50, drawn to data store and forward, classified in 709/213.
- II. Claims 14-28 and 41, drawn to data processing, classified in 709/236, 250.
- III. Claims 29-40, drawn to data transfer regulating, classified in 709/232.

In response, the applicants elect Group 1, claims 4-13 and 42-50 without traverse. Non-elected claims 14-41 have been withdrawn without prejudice to requesting reconsideration of these claims upon an indication of allowable generic claims, and without prejudice to pursuing these claims in a continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part, or other application. Linking claims 1-3 are withdrawn, but may be added back if subject matter in claims of Group 1 are found allowable.

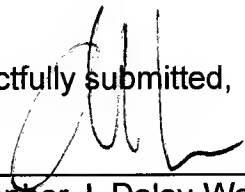
In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

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